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## TURKS GO TO AID TEUTON ALLIES

London, Sept. 23.—Large bodies of Turkish troops are moving northward through Bulgaria to join the Germans and Bulgarians now engaged in heavy fighting with the Russians and Roumanians in Dobrudja.

Several Turkish detachments have been in action against the Roumanians but the reinforcements were summoned to replace Bulgarian troops shifted to the Macedonian front. The Turkish regiments are composed almost exclusively of veterans of the Dardanelles campaign.

After several days of fierce fighting, much of which occurred in the open, the Dobrudja battle has settled down to trench warfare with first one side and then the other attempting to breach the enemy's lines.

Field Marshal von Mackensen's army, after apparently unsuccessful attempts to break through the Russo-Roumanian front, has taken up strong positions south of the Constanza railway, from which the Teutons are emerging for attacks.

A Bucharest despatch today reported that the retreating Teutons made an unsuccessful effort to draw the Roumanians into a trap, but the German flanking operations were defeated.

### Why He Resigned.

"So you resigned?"

"Yes. I couldn't stand the way the firm treated me."

"What did they do?"

"Took my name off the pay roll."

Exchange.

Letterheads at the Courier.

## Political Cards

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## ANTIQUITY OF CHEESE.

The Bible Mentions It, as Do Homer and Other Early Writers.

Cheese and curdling of the milk are mentioned in the book of Job. David was sent by his father, Jesse, to carry ten cheeses to the camp and to look how his brother fared. "Cheese of kine" formed part of the supplies of David's army at Mahanaim during the rebellion of Absalom.

Homer says that cheese formed part of the ample stores found by Ulysses in the cave of the Cyclop Polyphemus. Euripides, Theocritus and other early poets mention cheese. Ludolphus says that excellent cheese and butter were made by the ancient Ethiopians, and Strabo states that some of the ancient Britons were so ignorant that, though they had abundance of milk, they did not understand the art of making cheese.

There is no evidence that any of these ancient nations had discovered the use of rennet in making cheese. They appear to have merely allowed the milk to sour and subsequently to have formed the cheese from the caseous part of the milk after expelling the serum or whey.

As David when too young to carry arms was able to run to the camp with ten cheeses, ten loaves and an ephah of parched corn, the cheeses must have been very small.

### Wonderful Earrings.

The earrings of Biote, the daughter of Aristotle, which were found in Chalkis, where the young woman was buried, represented doves swinging in golden hoops. The miniature birds were marvelously wrought, the feathers of granulated gold, the wings and breasts enriched with bands of color supplied by inserted gems. Precious stones gleamed like tiny sparks for the eyes. Daintiest device of all, the tail feathers were so finely made and curiously adjusted as to move at the slightest motion of the pendent hoop, so that whenever the proud wearer should toss or shake her head her two attendant doves would seem to balance themselves upon their perches, as live birds do in swinging on a bough. They were found by exploring archaeologists.

### Overpowered.

"Are you sure you are strong enough to carry this trunk up three flights of stairs?" asked the maiden lady of the roustabout she had summoned.

"Sure, mum," he responded heartily.

"How much do I get out of it?"

"Why, if you don't break anything or spoil the walls I'll give you 10 cents."

"Sorry, mum, but I couldn't git away wid dat heavy trunk."

"Why, a minute ago you were sure you were strong enough."

"I was, but yer generosity has made me weak."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### The Ancient Memory.

In the ancient time men's memories were much more powerful than they are today. The invention of printing necessarily weakened the memory. We can scarcely form an idea of what the memory must have been when it was exercised and cultivated as a thing of sole dependence.—New York American.

### Conquering the Cobra.

It has been known thousands of years that the dreaded deadly cobra, whose bite invariably and almost instantly causes death, may be easily paralyzed and tranced by a very slight finger squeeze around the back of its fearful neck.

### Frank.

"Ernest is awfully frank."

"Do you love him because he is frank?"

"No; because he is Ernest."

## WILSON REPLIES TO NOMINEE HUGHES

Shadow Lawn, Long Branch, N. J., Sept. 23.—Addressing several thousand persons who made a pilgrimage to his summer home, President Wilson this afternoon spoke for the first time on the campaign issues raised by Republican Nominee Charles E. Hughes. He dwelt chiefly on the business issues.

After finishing his speech, the president had a long conference with Attorney General Gregory.

When the president appeared on the porch of his home at 3:15 o'clock he was enthusiastically applauded. On the porch with him were Postmaster General Burleson, Attorney General Gregory, former Ambassador to Turkey Henry Morgenthau, Jacob Schiff, Judge N. Westcott, W. Parkhurst Runyon and scores of other prominent democrats.

"America," said the president, "has devoted itself to the energies and achievements of peace. Business has taken a leading part in this."

"A vision now has come to business, there never was a time when the pulse of success beat so strongly in the veins of business as it does today. America has not played a proportionate part in the trade of the world and, in time to come, chiefly because America is about to release her energies, American business is to enter a new and greater field than ever before. The chief cloud on the horizon is the unsatisfactory relations between capital and labor. There is only one way in which relations can be made satisfactory. That is to make a general partnership of business to make for business success. So long as labor and capital are not together American business is held back. We are too much under the guidance of the lawyer. He has regarded the relations between capital and labor as merely contractual. But there is a heart beneath the worker's coat. Labor is not a commodity. It is a form of co-operation. If I can make a man believe in me, I can get ten times as much as if he knew I were antagonistic."

"The laboring man should be a partner of his employer. If the heart is not in work, nothing is in it."

"I have just passed through a most distressing experience. I tried to adjust differences between railroads and employees. I found suspicion or distrust on the part of each for the other, and while arbitration was being discussed between us had this thought:

"Arbitration is an alternate of war—an implement for use between hostile forces. Therefore, it came upon me that the real problem of capital and labor was to bring both sides to believe in each other."

"This thing had to be done when it was done," the president went on, in discussing his entire course in the controversy, including laying before congress the legislation he recommended.

### He Worked On.

Wife—George, this burning of the candle at both ends means an untimely grave. It is nearly 12 o'clock. Come to bed. George—But I'm doing this night work in order to find money enough to buy you a birthday present. Wife—Well, if you will persist in working of course I can't stop it. Good night, dear.

### Feminine Confidence.

"I shall never scold my husband again for spending so much time at the club."

"Tell me about it."

"Well, last night a burglar got into the house, and my husband knocked him senseless with a poker. I've heard several men speak of him as a poker expert. He has evidently been practicing at the club for just such an emergency."—Judge.

Location notices, Courier office.

## SLAYER OF MOTHER TO ESCAPE TRIAL

New Orleans, Sept. 23.—Willie Zimmer, 12 years old, who shot his mother to death here July 14, will not be tried for murder. Although he made no positive statement, Chandler C. Lusenburg, district attorney, intimated today that the boy neither would be sent to the gallows nor imprisoned for life.

The plea of thousands of youngsters and clubwomen in nearly every state in the union has had its effect, and Willie will be given a chance to begin life all over again.

Willie killed his mother because she tried to beat him with a broomstick. Willie's parents were separated. On the day of the killing he had been with his father. The father thrashed him for some trivial offense, so Willie went to his mother's home for comfort. But Mrs. Zimmer was in no comforting mood. He offended her and when she raised a stick to hit him, he fired a bullet into her breast. She tried to run, but a second bullet lodged in her abdomen. She continued to run and when she reached an alley-way fell, crying "Willie has killed me."

Nearly every page of the history of Willie's life is a thriller. Neighbors say he has been a bad boy from the day he took his first step. Several years ago he tried to place a younger sister in a bake oven and roast her.

The neighbors declare that Willie's favorite pastime was dissecting cats, and many a feline has met its fate at Willie's hands.

He always was leader in any mischievous undertaking by the boys of his vicinity.

Since his arrest Willie has been in different. Until today he had never expressed sorrow for his deed.

"I'm sorry I killed my mother," he said today, "but she tried to beat me, and that's why I killed her."

Local clubwomen contend the boy had not the proper care in his early days, and is entitled to an even break in his battle in life.

Present plans call for a five or six year course in some institution other than penal. The district attorney said today such action would be satisfactory to him and all plans to prosecute the lad probably will be dropped.

## TROPHIES OF WAR

Captured Flags Carefully Preserved by Uncle Sam.

### ON VIEW IN NAVAL ACADEMY

Restored by Special Process After Having Been in Tatters For Years. They Are a Living Proof of the Heroism of Our Soldiers and Sailors.

In the auditorium of the academic building at the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis are 15,000 square yards of flags, most of them trophy flags.

The capture of these tattered banners helped to make the stars and stripes respected by the nations of the earth and reflect undying glory on the men of the United States navy. They are living proofs of the heroism and courage of the soldiers and sailors who fought to maintain the flag when the nation was struggling for independence and later when it was fighting to establish firmly the foundations of the greatest republic of the world.

From 1847 to 1901 this collection of flags, which should be one of America's most highly prized treasures, was kept at the Naval Academy and exhibited in the old naval institute hall.

In 1901, when it was decided to tear down this building, the flags were packed in iron boxes and stored away. Being in a dilapidated condition when they were taken down to be packed, grave fears were entertained that they would be further damaged by moths.

During the ten years they remained in storage repeated efforts were made to have the government take some steps to put them in a permanent state of preservation, but without success. In 1912 congress appropriated \$50,000 for the work of preservation.

About three months later Mrs. Amelia Fowler, an expert on flag preservation, obtained the services of forty needlewomen, who began the arduous task of sewing over by hand every inch of the 15,000 square yards in the flags, as the natural decay of age as well as the almost hopeless ravages of moths made any ordinary method of preservation seem impossible.

A special process was originated by Mrs. Fowler, which is described as "appending the tattered remnants of each flag upon a backing of heavy Irish linen of neutral color."

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ing in vertical and horizontal line the warp and woof threads in the fragments of bunting.

What remained of the original flag was then sewed firmly to the linen backing by needlewomen under Mrs. Fowler's instruction and guidance.

Less than a year after the labor of repairing was begun, on May 16, 1913, the flags were completed and put on exhibition at the Naval Academy.

In the ceiling of the academic building is one of the most interesting of the trophy flags. It is a British royal standard taken from the parliament house at York, now Toronto, then the capital of upper Canada, when the place was taken by the squadron under Commodore Isaac Chauncey and a land force under General Zebulon Montgomery Pike, April 27, 1813.

The squadron, with about 1,700 soldiers aboard, effected a landing at York under cover of a fire of grape from the ships, cleared a way through the Indians and sharpshooters that the English had, formed to oppose them and stormed the batteries. The capture of York resulted in the acquisition of the royal standard, the only British royal standard captured and held by any nation.

The flags captured by Admiral Dewey at Manila bay are in this auditorium, and some of them are exquisite. The one flown at the main of the Spanish cruiser Don Antonio de Ulloa is a reminder of the plucky captain of that cruiser, Enrique Robon, who refused to surrender at the battle of Manila bay on May 1, 1898, so the Ulloa sank with its guns blazing defiance and all flags flying.—Boston Globe.

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